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DATE:

March 2, 2009

TO:

All Local Health Departments

Attn: Chief Food Specialist

FROM:

A. Scott Gilliam, MBA, CP-FS

Manager, Food Protection Program

SUBJECT:

Sweet Candy, LLC. Expands -Peanut Recall

SUGGESTED

ACTION:

Peanut Recall; Due to Salmonella typhimurium; Recommend notification of affected stores via

phone, fax or e-mail.

From the information provided by FDA, the recalled products were distributed in Indiana. The recalled products have been distributed and sold in bulk and retail packages nationwide through retailers. Detail information is not available at this time. In addition, if any recalled product is found, please notify this office at 317-233-7360.

Sweet Candy, LLC. Expands Nationwide Recall of Peanut-Containing Candies Because of Possible Health Risk

Contact:

Sweet Factory 734-722-2202

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE -- February 12, 2009 – Sweet Factory, LLC Inc. of Anaheim, CA is expanding its February 2, 2009 recall to include additional candy products containing peanuts, because they have the potential to be contaminated with *Salmonella*, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Healthy persons infected with *Salmonella* often experience fever, diarrhea (which may be bloody), nausea, vomiting and abdominal pain. In rare circumstances, infection with *Salmonella* can result in the organism getting into the bloodstream and producing more severe illnesses such as arterial infections (i.e., infected aneurysms), endocarditis and arthritis. For more information on Salmonella, please visit the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Website at http://www.cdc.gov.

Our products have been distributed and sold in bulk and retail packages nationwide through retailers.

The following products are being added to our recall:

Item/Sku	Description of Product	
617	Milk Choc Peanuts Tub 14 oz	



621	MC/DK Bridge Mix Tub 10 oz
3412	Choc Covered Peanut Brittle
35509	LC S/F MC Peanut Cluster
8469	NSA Choc Peanuts
8653	Dbl Dipped Peanuts
34039	Chocolate Peanut Cluster
35527	LC S/F Milk Choc Peanut Brittle
8662	Choc Bridge Mix
8471	S/F Choc Bridge Mix

Sweet Factory Milk Chocolate Peanuts Tubs, net wt 14 oz., Signature Distribution, Westland, MI, UPC 4298500111

Sweet Factory Milk & Dark Chocolate Bridge Mix Tubs, net wt 10 oz., Signature Distribution, Westland, MI, UPC 4298500107

Sweet Factory, LLC is recalling all of our peanut based products due to the expanded recall by Peanut Corp of America that included peanut types purchased by GKI Foods Inc.

Sweet Factory, LLC has had no reports of any illnesses with any of our products to date.

Customers who have purchased peanut related products from Sweet Factory may destroy the product or contact Sweet Factory for further direction at 734-722-2202 M-F between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. EST.

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